

# ICD-10 Prep for Home Health Agencies –

*What you need to know now,  
What you need to do later*

**February 23**

**3:00 pm – 4:30pm**

## Webinar

### Presenter

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has been in home care since 1994 as direct care provider, staff educator, PPS analyst, OASIS & ICD-9 coding instructor and consultant. She draws from this extensive background to provide practical education that is both fun and effective. Sparkle is nationally known for her humorous approach and ability to explain difficult topics in terms that everyone in home care can understand. Sparkle is a graduate of the American Health Information Management Association's Academy for ICD-10 Coding where she earned the designation of AHIMA Approved ICD-10 Coding Instructor. She is also a Senior Associate Consultant with OASIS Answers, Inc.

**Program Description:** This session will provide home health agencies with an overview of the timelines and tasks related to the 2013 transition to ICD-10.

Source documents related to the ICD-10 conversion will be discussed, along with a review of the conversion timeline and operational/budgetary considerations. Specific discussion related to comparing and contrasting ICD-9 and ICD-10, as well as an introduction to General Equivalence Mapping (GEMS) will be included.

Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:

- Identify source documents from the 4 Cooperating Parties that are in charge of the ICD-10 conversion and maintenance of the code set.
- Recognize the limitations of ICD-9 and benefits of ICD-10.
- Compare and contrast ICD-9 to ICD-10.
- Explain the conversion timeline.
- Recognize operational impact.
- Identify primary budgetary issues.
- Identify a conversion team.
- Explain General Equivalence Mapping (GEM).

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**Registration:** The registration deadline is February 17, 2012. Due to the expense of using the webinar technology, registrations may not be shared between agencies – the agency's registration covers the access of only one phone line into the webinar. The handouts will be emailed to the email address you provide prior to the webinar.



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